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PATENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN THE APPLICATION OF:

**MARLOW, STEPHEN WALTER**

CASE  
NO.:

**RD8145 US PCT**

APPLICATION NO.: **UNKNOWN**

GROUP ART UNIT: **UNKNOWN**

FILED: **HEREWITH**

EXAMINER: **UNKNOWN**

FOR: **METHODS FOR THE MANUFACTURE OF MIXED POLYAMIDE YARNS**

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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**Introductory Comments**

Before examination of the above-referenced application, please amend the application as follows:

Sir:

Please delete original Claims 2 – 23 and replace them with the following new Claims 24 - 40. Claim 1 remains unchanged: